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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

MITSUHARA et al.

Application No.: 08/805,813

Filed: February 26, 1997

For: PATHOGEN-RESISTANT PLANTS
AND METHOD OF PRODUCTION
THEREFOR

Examiner: Nelson, A.

Art Unit: 1649

**PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH
EXTENSION OF TIME WITH FEE
AUTHORIZATION**

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Box AF
Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:


Applicants, through their undersigned attorneys, hereby petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents for a two-month extension of time from November 10, 1998 to January 10, 1999 in which to respond to the Office Action mailed August 10, 1998.

A Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time from November 10, 1998 to December 10, 1998 including the fee authorization of \$110.00 was filed in this application by

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certificate of mailing on November 11, 1998. The Assistant Commissioner for Patents is thus authorized to charge the remaining extension fee of \$270.00 for the current two-month extension of time to Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please also charge any additional fees remaining or credit any overpayment in this application to the aforementioned deposit account. This Petition is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,



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